GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
LOK SABHA

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CENTRES FOR PHYSICALLY CHALLENGED PERSONS
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Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the number of centres functioning for the upliftment of the physically challenged persons in States, particularly in backward areas, State/Union Territory-wise;

(b) the details of grants provided by the Government to these centres during each of the last three years and the current year, State/Union territory-wise; and

(c) the details of utilization of grants provided to these centres during each of the last three years, State/Union Territory-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT (SMT. SUBBULAKSHMI JAGADEESAN)

(a) to (c) Grants are provided to voluntary organizations under the Deendayal Disabled Rehabilitation Scheme (DDRS) to support Vocational Training Centres for physically challenged persons. Utilization certificates for each financial year are given by the organizations against the grants provided. State-wise details of centres provided grants under the DDRS in the last three years and the current year are indicated at Annexure.